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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing.
A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
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TRANSMITTAL OF DECLARATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.51 (a)(1)(ii)
RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS

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Sir:

This is in response to a "Notice to File Missing Parts of Application" dated May 23, 2001, noting the absence of a declaration from the papers filed with the above-identified application.

Enclosed herewith are: 1) a copy of the Notice and 2) a Declaration under 37 C.F.R. 1.51(a)(1)(ii) by the Applicant(s) in this application.

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